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FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR SUBSTRATE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2006, reconsideration is requested in view of the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begin on page 7 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this response.